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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) MSE-2650	
Application Number 10/694,376		Filed October 27, 2003	
For OPTICAL REAGENT FORMAT FOR SMALL SAMPLE VOLUMES			
Art Unit 1743		Examiner Neil N. Turk	
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):			
		<u>Fee</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))		\$120	\$ 120.00
<input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))			\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))			\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))			\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))			\$
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.			
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.			
<input type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to			
Deposit Account Number <u>50-4181 (247082-000036USPT)</u> I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.			
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.			
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).			
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 <u>41,774</u>			
_____ Signature John C. Gatz Typed or printed name		_____ Date December 3, 2007 (312) 425-3900 Telephone Number	
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.			
<input type="checkbox"/> Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.			

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service with sufficient postage as First Class Mail, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on the date shown below.

Dated: December 3, 2007

Signature: *Julie A. Burke* (Julie A. Burke)

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